REMARKS

Claims 9-15 are presently in the application. Claims 1-8 have been canceled.

The examiner's allowance of claims 10-15 and indication of allowable subject matter in claim 9 is greatly appreciated. Claim 9 has been rewritten in independent form, including all of the language of former claim 8, with the exception that the language determined by the examiner in the last Office action to be indefinite has been omitted. All claims in the application are now in allowable condition.

Entry of the amendment and allowance of the claims is respectfully requested.

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